



PI/PST Process Maturity Model

What's A Rubric?

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PI/PST MM CHARACTERISTICS

- Easy to use
- Practical process improvement tool
- Follows the performance cycle
- Takes advantage of Carnegie Mellon model attributes (why invent when theft is so easy?)
- Covers the role of the Program Integrator and the Program Support Team
- Applies to ACAT I-III weapon systems



Defining a Maturity Model

- It's a rubric takes *objective* data and makes it *subjective* again OR operationally defines a hierarchy with non-quantifiable criteria
 - *Objective*: Do we play well with others? *Yes, Sometimes, or No*?
 - -Subjective:
 - •Level 3 = Yes
 - •Level 2 = Sometimes
 - •Level 1 = No



Maturity Model for a

- <u>Level 1</u> No parts working, left Gends, many parts left over, cuts on own arms, scratches in table.
- <u>Level 2</u> Some parts are now working, some leftovers, no cuts on arms, some minor scratches to table.
- **Level 3** Everything is working, no parts left over, no cuts on arms or scratches on table.
- <u>Level 4</u> Everything is working flawlessly, found an unused part to use as a transplant in another patient, had time to get in 18 holes!





Using a Maturity Model

• It's simple. Unless you're building one - forget everything except the bottom line - i.e., what are the activities/key practices required to attain the next higher level (from where you are today).

Key Process Areas/Goals

Common Features

Key Practices

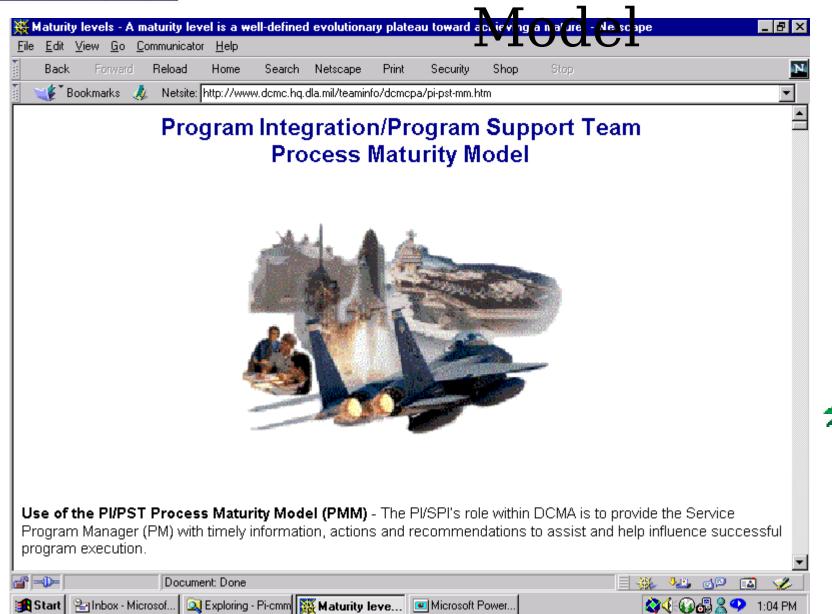


PI/PST Process Maturity

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The Myth of Maturity

Performance is determined by maturity levels - truth is:

- Superior performance can be achieved at any maturity level
- However, it's much much more likely to occur at higher maturity levels
- -And is much more likely to occur consistently at higher maturity levels because... (test question - later in presentation)?



Use of the PI/PST Process Maturity Model

- Consistent product quality (customer needs):
 - Key practices provide sufficient detail to achieve process consistency and thus product consistency - think of key practices as process drivers or enablers



Use of the PI/PST Process Maturity Model

- · It's a tool but not a club
- For self-improvement
- For the CMO not the IOA Team
 - IOA guidelists and process maturity model must be consistent though - they will be
 - Model designed so that Level 3 would result in full compliance with all facets of One Book policy



Use of the PI/PST Process Maturity Model

- Ready to use (and approved) strategy for process improvement
 - This is really the bottom line to the whole thing
 - See where you are evaluate not for a determination of Level but what needs to be done next to increase the process maturity and thus process results - put those to-do's in your performance plan



The Myth of Maturity Uncloaked

 And is much more likely to occur consistently at higher maturity levels because...

We graduate from managing by individual intuition and experience at lower maturity levels to managing a defined process at higher levels

Questions??

•Answers:

-Fit for Print: Marty

-Politically Insensitive: Richard